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In re Application of

Miroslav Colic

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For: Therapeutic and Prophylactic Compositions Including  
Catalytic Biomimetic Solids and Methods to Prepare  
and Use Them

Examiner: Xiaozhen Xie  
Group Art: 1646

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

SIR:

This Preliminary Amendment is submitted, along with the accompanying RCE, to address the  
Examiner's rejections made in the October 18, 2007 Final Office Action.

PETITION

Applicant hereby petitions for a one-month extension of the original shortened statutory response  
period set in the Office Action of October 18, 2007. A check including the amount of \$60 in payment of the  
government fee for a one-month extension of time is enclosed herewith so that the period for response is  
extended to February 18, 2008. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the  
present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

## **RESPONSE**

In response to the Final Office Action dated October 18, 2007, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 3 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 5 of this paper.